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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

The twenty-nine property owners of Rutland who have been notified by the city fire marshal to equip their buildings with fire apparatus ought to have done so without the warning. There are property owners in every city who ought to do so now without another such warning as the Iriquois theatre horror in Chicago.

The rest of the state marvels that Barre and Montpelier can enjoy anything in common, most of all a base ball team. In the latter connection the sufferance remains in the fact that Barre people call their representatives in the Northern league the Barre team, and Montpelier people call them the Montpelier team, although the official name of the team is "Barre-Montpelier." Just a little sugar coating and perhaps both cities might bide each other most tolerably.

The White River Junction Landmark speaks truthfully when it says: "Constant repetition of the claim that Mr. Bell is the farmers' candidate may prove a source of weakness to him at the fall election. While he is a representative farmer—one of the best in Vermont—he should not be considered as the representative of any class, but of the Republicans of Vermont whether dwelling in cities, towns or the country." But is to the farmers of the state, nevertheless, that the Republican managers must look for a big vote this fall, if there is to be a big vote. The city or town dwellers are easier to get to the polls than those who live at a distance



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from the voting places. Consequently much of the efforts of this campaign by the Republican party must be directed toward the latter class.

BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT IN BARRE.

It may confidently be stated that the business interests of the city of Barre which were given a set-back last spring through various causes, have now resumed their normal status. The granite industry was notably quiet during the late winter months and spring, there being more than the usual scarcity of orders at that period of the year. Since then, however, there has been a gradual change for the better until now the granite plants of the city and vicinity are running about the usual number of men. Manufacturers report that orders are coming in well for this season, and some of the firms are taking on more men, so that at the present time there are few men in this city who are unemployed, leastwise few of those men who are willing to work. The satisfactory conditions in the leading industry of the city are an indication of the situation in other lines of business. There is a consequent improvement in the retail line and during the present month trading has been comparatively brisk in the stores of the city. A considerable amount of large building operations is in progress, and the prospects in the construction line which were considered rather poor in the spring are now good.

Taken all in all, Barre has no reason for complaint over the situation.

ABOUT THE STATE.

Items of Interest Cleared From Our Exchanges.

An out-of-town young lady was in a Randolph store last week and noticing a machine used for buttoning cigars investigated its workings. She inserted her finger in the place intended for the vile weed and found it worked very well as evidenced by a clapping from her finger. The young lady swooned and fell backward. A doctor was summoned who quickly responded and dressed the remainder of her finger.

The dedication of the new Carnegie library building at Burlington will probably occur on the evening of Friday, August 12, although that date may be changed. If the building is in readiness the 12th, however, the dedication will occur at that time. No definite plans have as yet been made. The matter of the dedicatory address has been left with President M. H. Buckham, who will secure the speaker.

George, the 14-year-old son of Harrison Powers of Randolph, met with a bad accident July 13. He fell on a scythe, striking at the knee joint. The tendons were completely cut and had he been of heavier weight it is probable that the leg would have been entirely severed. The bones were wired together by Drs. L. M. and O. V. Greene and it is stated that the tendons will probably unite but the joint will always be stiff.

The residence and barn, with all contents, of Mrs. Mary Marshall on the Highgate Center road near the hemp yard were destroyed by fire at three o'clock Thursday morning. The cause of the fire is unknown, but it is thought some one was smoking in the barn. Mrs. Marshall was in Highgate, so no one was about the premises and a neighbor discovered the fire, but too late to be of any assistance. Nothing was saved but a wagon. The house was insured.

Nelson E. Martin of Randolph was arrested on a body writ Wednesday for appropriating to his own use a cashier's check for \$800, which he found in a letter that he took from the post office about the first of July. The letter being addressed, not to N. E. Martin, whose hands it fell, but to W. J. E. Martin, to whom the check belonged. N. E. Martin claims to have thought the initials were his own instead of Willard Martin's, and to have supposed that the check was sent him by John Bean to pay him for painting Mr. Bean's house. He had the check cashed at one of the stores and as soon as the difference in initials was discovered, legal proceedings were instituted to recover the funds. Mr. Martin's mother went bail for him in the sum of \$100, and unless previously settled, the case will be tried the 27th inst.

A. A. SMITH & BRO.

FALL HATS

We have just received a large invoice of advance styles in Soft and Stiff Hats for early Fall wear, in all the new colors, such as black, slate and the popular tan. For up-to-date Hats see our window.

Hat Cleaners given away free. Come in and get one.

CAPS

See our new Auto Caps. They are latest.

CUSTOM SUIT DEPARTMENT

We take pleasure in announcing to our patrons that we are now ready with a well-selected line of Woolens direct from New York, to take orders for Suits, Trousers and Overcoats, for early Fall wear.

NECKWEAR

See our narrow four-in-hand in the new tans and fancy colors.

SHIRTS

A large lot \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shirts are being closed by us at 79c. Call and get a supply. Sizes from 14 to 17.

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MEN'S OUTFITTERS
Miles Granite Block,
Barre, - - Vermont

JINGLES AND JESTS.

So Convenient.

Mrs. Urban—How you must enjoy living in the country! I suppose you can get all the fresh fruit and vegetables you want.

Mrs. Annex—Oh, yes. Such a nice peddler comes out from the city three times a week.—Brooklyn Life.

More Delicately Put.

The horse, when his bad race was done. Exclaimed: "I wish I were a man. They don't call me 'a favorite son,' but only just an 'also ran.'"

—Washington Star.

Not So Dull After All.



He—It would be a mighty dull world for you girls if all the men should suddenly leave it.
She—Oh, we should still have you college boys left.

Camp Meethin' Feelin's.

Feelin' like camp meethin' time;
Birds a-chirpin' round;
Sorter sets me thinkin'
Of the old camp meethin' groun'—
The green a-comin' to the trees,
The wild woods smellin' sweet,
The hummin' of the honeybees
An' violets at your feet!

Oh, I'm feelin' like camp meethin' time!
I'm wantin' for to ride
In the rickety old buggy,
With Jenny by my side!
The summer winds crost meadows green
A-havin' of a race,
An' blowin' them bright curls of hers
Like sunshine, in my face!

Oh, I'm feelin' like camp meethin' time,
An' that's the time for me,
The country, like salvation,
Is most amazin' free!
I bet we'll sing the old time tunes
That stem the storm an' tide,
An' I'll reach the land of promise,
With Jenny by my side!

—Atlanta Constitution

Newton's Magnet.

A magnet which the great Sir Isaac Newton wore as a set in his finger ring is said to have been capable of raising 746 grains, or about 250 times its own weight of 3 grains, and to have been much admired in consequence of its phenomenal power.

Turpentine.

Turpentine has been found to be an antidote for carbolic acid.

Forest Fires in Russia.

Russia suffers terribly from forest fires. It is not unusual for fire to clean out 250,000 acres of forest per year.

A Queer Animal.

The most curious animal in the world is the Ornithorhynchus paradoxus of Australia. It is shaped like an otter, has fur like a beaver, is webfooted like a swan, has a bill like a duck, a tail like a fox, is amphibious and lays eggs.

Bread in France.

The average Frenchman eats 428 pounds of bread a year.

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E. L. SEGEL,

Mussucco Block, - - 22 Main Street.,
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Two Big Values!

Ladies' Neckwear for Monday.

Another important group of Neckwear in sets of Collars and Cuffs. We put on sale Monday 100 sets of Collars and Cuffs, made of white Swiss, organdie and Persian lawn, some in colors, some white and black and some in all white lace with fagoting. Sale Monday, price 5c per set.

Percale Wrappers for Tuesday.

Ten dozen Percale Wrappers in fall colors of navy, red and black—a good Wrapper for \$1.00. Tuesday the price will be 85c.

Don't miss our Second Great Semi-annual Sale of Muslin Underwear now in progress. Continues all next week. On second floor.

THE VAUGHAN STORE,

(Telephone 12-12)

44 North Main Street,

Barre, Vermont.

A Few Items of Interest

FOR SATURDAY'S SHOPPING.

Generally we have enough of one article for our Saturday Special. Not so this time. The quantities are small, so we've got to have more of them.

We can assure you that the smallest prices are attached to them of any like goods of the season—prices calculated to make the morning hours as busy as the afternoon and evening. As you read the list remember we have exactly what we advertise. If you have been here before, you know what to expect. If you haven't, try us.

First—Twenty-two \$1.50 Muslin Underskirts with three rows of cluny or torchon laces for only 98c. It's just a tip on what you can expect of our Muslin Underwear Sale.

Second—Fifteen dozen 50c Black Lace Hose at 29c. Ten dozen 39c Lisle Gloves, lace back, in tan and grey, sizes 6 to 6-1-2, at only 19c per pair. Fifteen dozen 25c Fancy Lace Hose at 16c per pair or three pairs for 45c. If you see them you are sure to buy. In fact you can afford to plan ahead a bit.

The Perley E. Pope Co.,

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SATISFACTORY SHOES

For July, August and September are Oxfords—and Oxfords only—because they are so cool and comfortable, especially our stylish tans.

Have you seen our large line of Ladies', Men's and Children's Oxfords in tans and blacks? If not, we can give you a pleasant surprise when we show you the quality, style and finish of the Oxford which we can give you at a most reasonable price.

Beginning Friday, July 15th, we intend to close out this heavy stock of Oxfords during the next two weeks at prices that will please you—FOR CASH.

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